

REMARKS

In the above-identified Office Action Claim 75 was identified as being allowable if amended so as not to depend from a rejected claim. In response, the limitations of allowable Claim 75 were all added to independent Claim 73, from which Claim 75 depended. In this regard it is noted that the concluding clause of Claim 73 has been deleted, but that the requirements thereof have been added to the "reading circuit" clause of that claim. Accordingly, it is submitted that Claim 73 is now unconditionally allowable, along with Claim 76 which depends from Claim 73. All other claims have been cancelled, wherefore it is submitted that the application is now in condition for the issuance of a Notice of Allowance.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-3939.

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